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SUBSTITUTE DRAWINGS

Dear Sir:

Please substitute the drawings as originally filed with the enclosed 6 (six) sheets of formal drawings.

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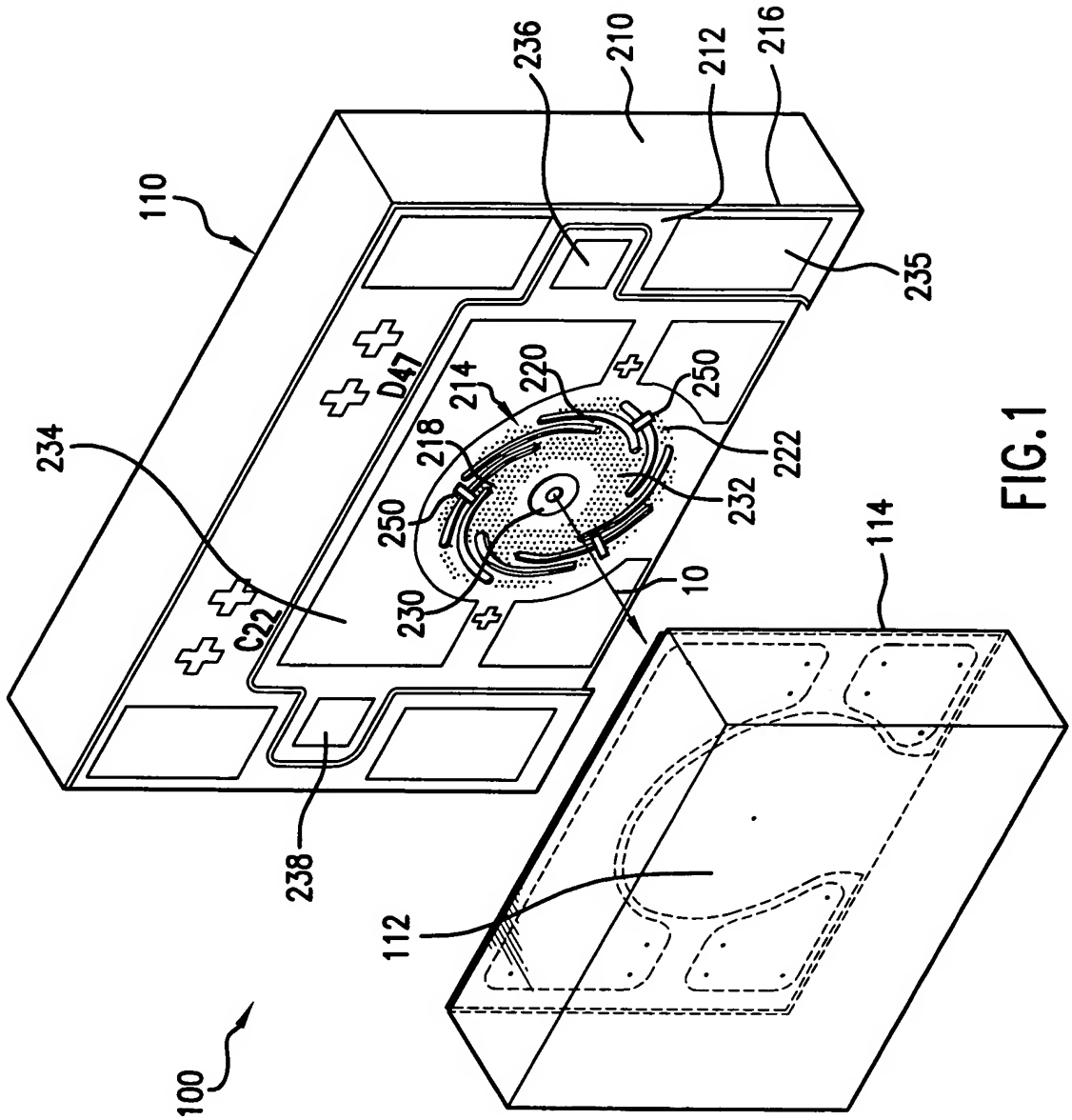


FIG. 1

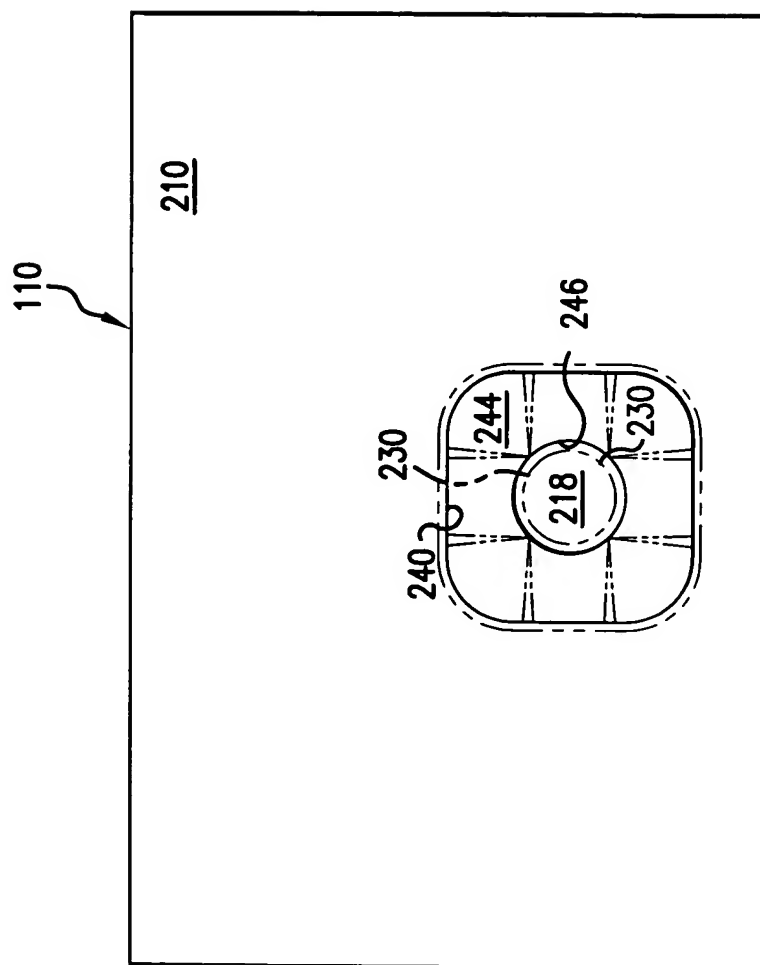
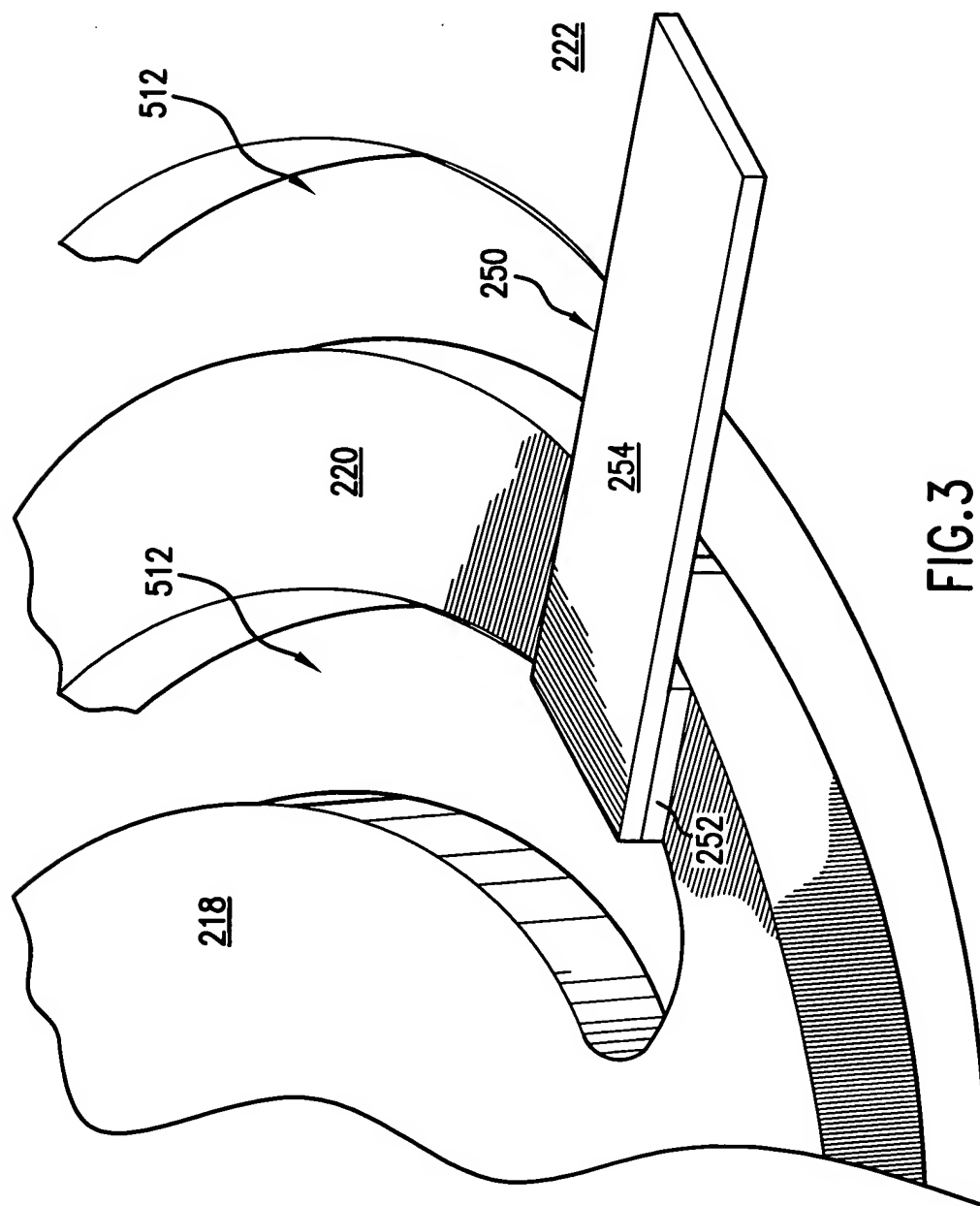


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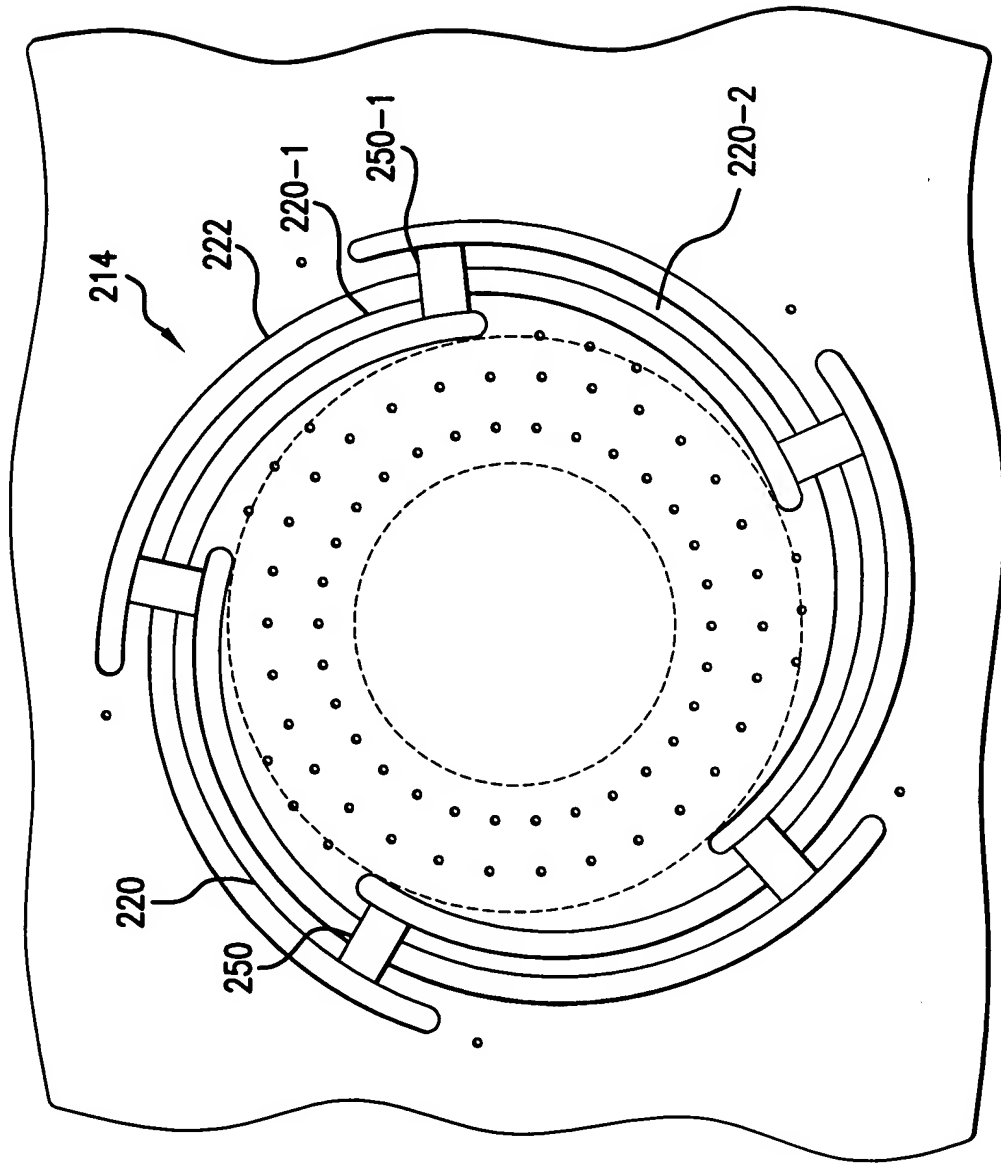


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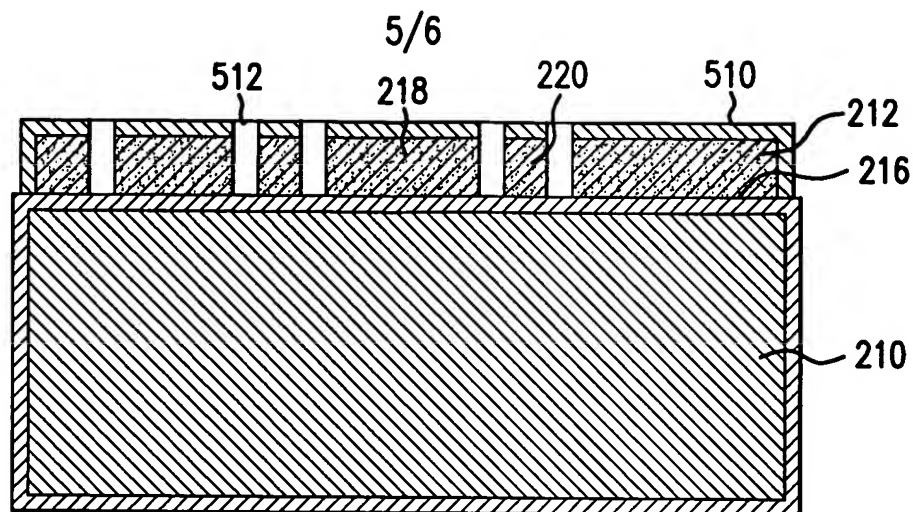


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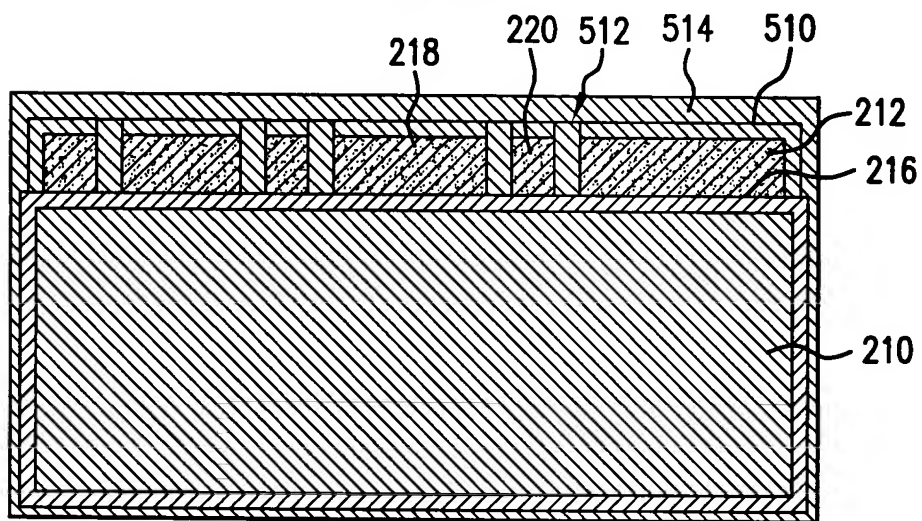


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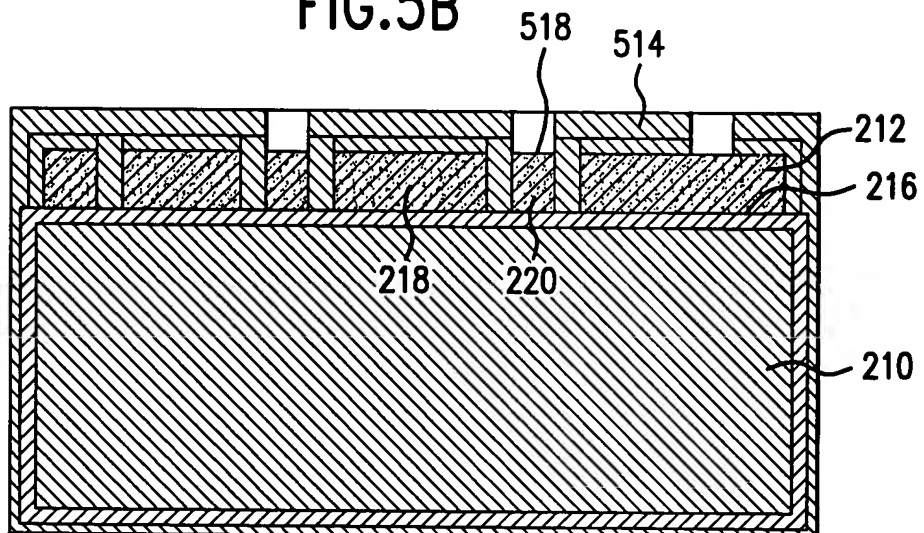


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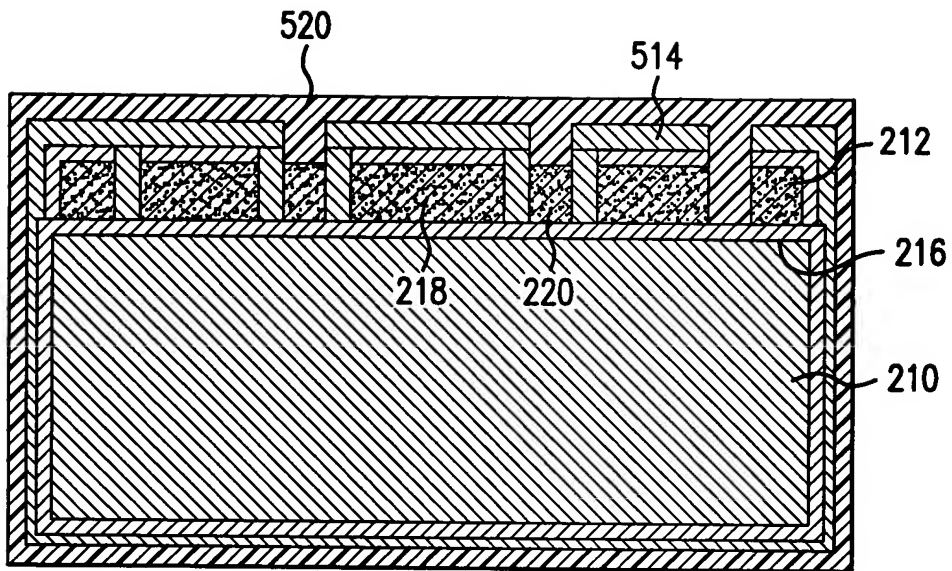


FIG. 5D

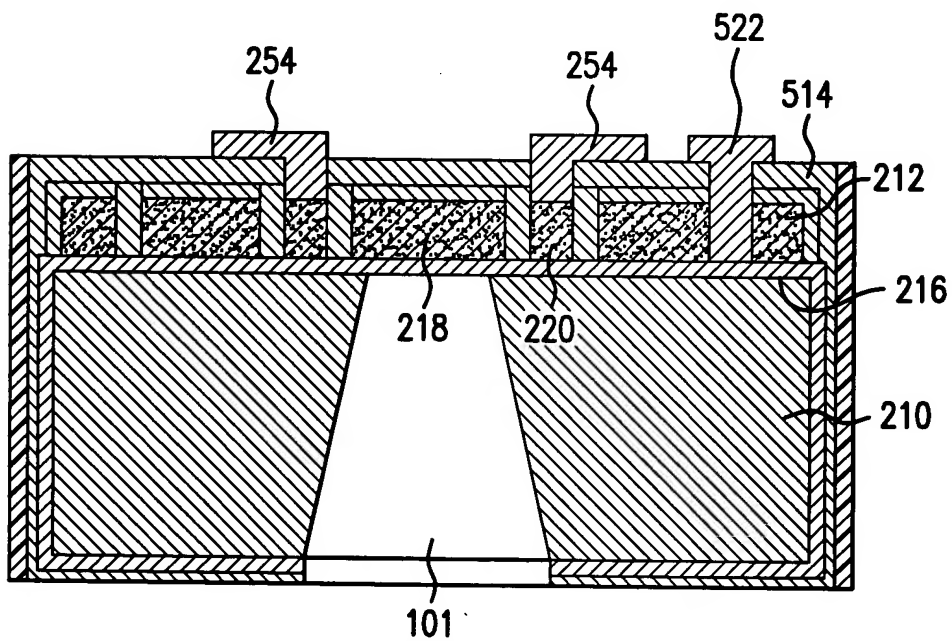


FIG. 5E